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TAGS: EAID, UN, UK, UR

SUBJECT: ANGLO-SOVIET TALKS: ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE  
AND UN CHARTER REVIEW

REF: LONDON 12329 (NOTAL)

1. MOST INTERESTING COMMENT FROM SOVIET SIDE DURING  
ANGLO-SOVIET TALKS IN MID-SEPTEMBER (SEE REFTEL ON MIDDLE  
EAST ASPECTS) ACCORDING TO FCO ASSISTANT UNDERSECRETARY  
WEIR WAS ASSERTION THAT DEVELOPEDCOUNTRIES BEAR NO RPT  
NO MORAL RESPONSIBILITY TO ASSIST LDCS. EVEN TRADITIONAL  
SOVIET LITANY AGAINST FORMER COLONIALIST POWERS WAS OMIT-  
TED ON THIS OCCASION. FURTHERMORE, SOVIETS CLAIMED THEY  
HAD DISCUSSED THIS CONCEPT WITH LDCSWHO ACCEPTED IT.

2. AT THE SAME TIME, SOVIETS ADMITTED THEY WERE CONTINU-  
ING THEIR BILATERAL AID PROGRAMS.

3. SOVIETS EXPRESSED CONCERN ABUT EXTRAVAGENCE IN UN  
SPENDING, AND BRITISH AGREED WITH THEM.

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4. SOVIETS ALSO INVITED BRITISH TO JOIN IN VOTING  
AGAINST INSCRIPTION OF CHARTER REVIEW ITEM THIS YEAR.  
WEIR REPLIED THAT UK ALSO OPPOSED CHARTER REVIEW, BUT IT  
COULD NOT AGREE TO OPPOSE INSCRIPTION AS SUCH. UK WOULD  
STUDY THE MATTER.

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